Retention of Government accommodation by Retired Govt. Servants

2261. SHRI SHANKARRAO NARAYANRAO DESHMUKH:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a number of Government servants who had retired more than a year ago are still retaining their Government quarters in the Bengali Market area;

(b) if so, what are the names and date of retirement of such persons and the reasons for which they have been permitted to retain the houses;

(c) what is the rent being charged from these persons and whether there are any arrears due from them; and

(d) whether it is also a fact that some of the persons are using the premises for business and other purposes?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) No, Sir. There is only one Govt. servant who had retired more than a year ago and is still retaining Govt. accommodation in Bengali Market Area.

(b) Shri Shyam Sunder Gupta who retired from Govt. service on 31-12-85 is still in unauthorised occupation of Q. No. 22(UF), Tansen Marg. Necessary eviction proceedings under the Public Premises (Eviction of unauthorised Occupant) Act, 1971 have been initiated to get the quarter vacated.

(c) The damages is being charged at market rate from him and a sum of Rs. 3,619.25 is outstanding against him up to April '87.

(d) No such case has come to our notice.

Night Shelters

2262. SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the cities where night shelters for the poor are being constructed with the assistance of the Central Government; and

(b) what are the conditions for the allotment funds for the purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) and (b) Urban Development is a State subject. The question of providing Night Shelters in cities is the concern of the respective State Governments and Union Territory Admns. However, HUDCO, a public sector enterprise, can provide loan assistance, as per its prescribed norms, for such projects, if formulated by the State Government/U.T. Admns. or their agencies.

Mandays created through NREP and RLEGP in Punjab

2263. SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL: Will the Minister of AGRICUTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of mandays generated in Punjab during 1986-87 under the National Rural Employment Programme and Rural Landless Employment Guarantee Programme and the total amount spent thereon; and

(b) the amount allocated for the purpose for the year 1987-88?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI RAMANAND YADAV): (a) The expenditure incurred and the employment generated under National Rural Employment Programme (NREP) and Rural Landless Employment Guaran-